Governor Swanson Planning for Speedy Disbursement of Over \$61,000.

MONEY COLLECTED

Under Recent Act of Congress It Comes to Virginia's Spanish War Soldiers.

Mr. Benjamin Carter, of Washington, D. C., and Major Sol. Cutchins, the at-

ably take at least three weeks to hat When the rolls are completed Cutchins will send out checks to en:it! d to them.

Questions of Law Open,

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"There are some questions of law open,
which affect the claim for commutation
of rations, and, therefore, that claim will
not be settled for some two or three
months or possibly a little longer. The
Governor and Major Cutchins prefer not
to wait for that settlement, but to pay
but forthwith the money already in hand,
"These moneys now in Governor Swanson's hands are practically the first
fruits of an effort in which Governor
Montague, the Governors of Georgia and Alabama, two other Washington lawyers and I Joined in 1892. There had been a law enacted by Congress in 1899 probleting for payment of all expenses of the States of this kind, but that required the filing of claims at the United States Treasury Department not later than Janivary 1, 1992, the very day, as it happened, in which Governor Montague went into office. Because of certain very natural misunderstandings of the law the claims of the States mentioned and some others were not presented within the time prescribed. The plan formed in 1992 was to obtain new legislation of Congress permitting the presentation of claims, and this result was accomplished on April 27, 1904, when an act of Con-

Annual Congress of National Or-

ganization Begins With Rush

in Louisville.

MAYOR ROLLS THE FIRST BALL

Secretary of State and Other

Prominent Officials Present.

Totals for Night.

THE ARMORY, LOUISVILLE, KY.

Maren 17.--In the presence of 3,000 persons Acting Mayor Owen Tyler to-night sen

ed the performance with a neat "spare."

teen-pound ball and square gutters will

New Condition.

world's records, for the reason that the games rolled here will be worked off under the new conditions. In fact, experts say there is now no such thing as an accurate

The first group of sixteen five-men teams were all of Louisville. The grand totals rolled by the ten highest teams were as follows:

Pearl of Nelson, 2,415; Fern Cliff, 2,415;

DOCTORS FEAST.

Two Chapters of Fraternity Have Joyous Banquet,

The tonsts were all bright and happy, demonstrating that even the study of bones and tissues and the compounding of medicines cannot take away a sense of human enjoyment and a desire for the lighter and brighter things of life. Medical lore was forgotten for the nonce, and the young doctors gave themselves

which the State of Virginia is to pay her volunteer troops of the Spanish War for the Short time preceding their muster into the United States army, were at the Capitol yesterday conferring with Governor Swanson regarding the disbursement of the money to the soldiers. By the terms of the acts of Congress under which the collection was made the money does not go into the State Treasury, but must be paid out by the Governor directly to the men. Major Cutchins will actually conduct this distribution for the Governor.

With reference to this particular collection and the entire claim of the State against the United States Mr. Carter last night said to a representative of The Times-Dispatch:

"My business here was largely to consult the Governor about our further procedure on the remaining claims we have breasted at the United States Treasury Department. The money just collected was for the pay proper of the volunteers. The other claims are mainly for amounts due the enlisted men in commutation of rations not furnished while they were awaiting muster-in; and I wished to discuss those with the Governor in the light of the decision we have into obtained from the Comptroller.

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The Jones Present was forgoting for life, and the young dectors gave themselves and the young dectors of the light to soon.

The toasts and those who reas fo

FELL THIRTY FEET

Man Shot and Killed Over An Election Dispate.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BLUEFIELD, W. VA., March 17.--J. C.
Childress, fireman, stepped from his
train at Hull to-day and fell over an
embankment, a distance of thirty feet. He will die.

John Meadley was shot and killed by Neil Shannon while in a controversy over the courthouse re-location fight in the lower end of the county last night.

Amelia Court This Week.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

AMELIA, VA., March 17.—Judge Walter A. Watson will open court here Thursday and try Asa Wells. Caroline Lipscomb and Betty Harris, all colored, churged with poisoning Bony Lipscomb, a well-digger, at Jetersville, last full. Messrs. R. G. Southall and Turner & Thriers are counsel for the accused. Considerable interest is expected in these trials.

Public speaking on behalf of the Tobacco Association will be held during the recess of the court.

Officers of the Western Association are in Virginia and one of them is expected to address the people.

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That's why he should always go to

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Havana Cigars

"Misko" 5c Cigars

10,000 Clear

from Jose Lovera & Co.

West Cigars. A trial means that you will be sat-

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All sizes. All colors. The highest grade Key

CAPTAIN CULLEN.

Military Man Reported Married

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FRONT ROYAL, VA., March 17.—From advice just received Miss Bennett, a member of the Peggy from Parls Opera Company, is engaged or about to be married to Captain Orlan Clyde Cullen, of fame in many lands.

In army circles and at Washington there are few better known men than Captain Cullen. His home is at the Warren White Sulphur Spring, this feonity, where he at one time owned extensive property.

Captain Cullen was a short time ago tried in Harrisonburg, va., on the charge tried in Harrisonburg, va., on the charge McCoy's Murphy's Annex, 8th and Broad Sts.

tried in Harrisonburg, Va., on the charge of fraudulent use of the mail. On this of fraudulent use of the mail. On this charge he was acquitted, and before he had time to be re-arrested on warrants sworn out by the government for other charges, he fled from this country. When last heard from he was in Manchuria with the Japanese army fighting against the Russians,

Captain Cullen is a married man and has one daughter. On this

one daughter. has one daughter.

Captain Cullen achieved fame by inventing the Cullen Ball Bearing Rifle.

DROVE HIM INSANE.

John B. Hunter Sent to Lunatic Asylum.

Asylum.

(By Associated Press.)

KALAMAZOO, MICH., March 17.—John R. Hunter, formerly president of the Henderson-Ames Company, of this city, and once one of Kalamazoo's leading busliness men, was to-day committed to the Kalamazoo Asylum for the Insane. His breakdown began at the close of the Spanish-American War, when he became involved in a seandal through which a large amount of military supplies was sold by the State military authorities and repurchased by the State military authorities and repurchased by the State at a price that left a large sum of money in the hands of the conspirators, Hunter was then indicted, convicted and fined \$1,000. He is now said to be a mental and physical wreck.

Personals and Briefs.

STEPHEN PUTNEY SHOE COM-PANY WANT THE PEOPLE REACTIONISTS TO KNOW.

TOURNEY OPENS the first ball in the annual tournament of the American Bewling Congress spin-

ning down the alley, and a roar of cheers greeted his effort when he finish. "Putney's High Art, Battle Axe."
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"Putney's High Art Battle Axe."—for gentlemen, 5: for Indies, 34-a shoe of distinction; for heat dressed men and women. You may pay higher prices for shoes, yet they won't look as stylish, nor give as good service as "Putney's High Art." When you have bought and worn one pair you will agree with every word we say. The crowd increased as the evening wore on until all the available space in the huge Jefferson County Armory was filled.

with lenders in social and husiness circles of Lpuisville.

The exercises preceding the opening of pity were brief and informal, Acting Mayor Tyler on behalf of the city, and Secretary of State H. V. McChesney, for the State wearoning the visitors. Response was made by J. H. Haager, president of the congress.

The first balls relied in actual play were shot down the niegs simultaneously and strikes were made on two of the alleys by members of the Oscoola and the Haager No. 3 teams, both of Louisville. The bow'ers will handle in sixtem-pound ball and square guilters will tem-pound ball and square guilters will we say,

A SHOE INVESTMENT, BOTH WISE AND PROFITABLE.

"Broadway" and "Putney's Chieftain."

To our gentlemen friends we would say—when you pay H of your earnings you are entitled to its full value in return and if its shoes you are buying you could not invest \$4 more wisely or with more profit to yourself than to buy a pair of "Broadway" on "Putney's Chieftain."

We emphatically state that they are the best \$4 shoes made, Long wear and unequalled style constitute their strong

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A PROCLAMATION FULL OF WISDOM

THE ACME OF PERFECTION IN A \$2.50 SHOE.

"Swelldom" and "Napoleon."

In buying shoes the price paid is requaled by individual tastes and by the condition of the purse. We can't all wear high-priced shoes, but we can all wear high audity shoes. If you wish to pay, only \$2.56 for your shoes, we modestly invite the ladies attention to our well-known "Swelldom" line, and the gentlemen to our ever-popular "Napoleon Battle Ave." If money is invested as well in all things as in "Specifion" and "Napoleon" shoes your apoket-book will be always well filled. Try one pair. To the gentlemen we would say that the "Napoleon" brind battles as successfully in this period for the honest position it.

rant the wear,
SHOES OF LOW PRICE AND HIGH
VALUE.

"Golf Queen" and "Swell Set."
Necessity is truly the mother of invention. The many facilities offered for the enjoyment of life bring within the reach of all better opportunities. We present for your consideration—for ladles' wear.—our well fitting, high-class "Golf Queen," for gentlemen, our well-known "Swell Set." These shoes enjoy a reputation that no commetitive hand can sup-

Our shoes in general embrace the best of everything that goes into a shoenewest thoughts, highest ideas and designs. Some of our friends and customers may not be acquainted with the distinction that our celebrated brands have won in gold medals and blue ribbons, wherever they have been exhibited. Hence we take this occasion to apprise them of the merit of these celebrated brands and commend them..to.their attention as works of art. Possessing features unsurpassed our shoes make strong friends. They have grown in popularity until to-day Battle Axe shoes are the best known of all shoes. We beg to call your attention that you, too, may join our great army of friends and patrons, and that you may gain knowledge and profit thereby.

Follow the lead of millions of people and wear Battle Axe

NO SESSIONS **of** CONFERENCE HELD

(By Associated Press.)
ALGEORAS, March 17.—Neither the
Morocco conference the committee met
to-day. Everything has been deferred
until the French and Germans agree
on the remaining details.

Personals and Briefs.

Fred Meyer, an old Richmond printer, but who has been residing in New York for the past thirty-five years, is on a visit to his brother, Henry Meyer, 56 East Clay Stre t.

M. John B. Donahor, of South Pine Street, who has been confined to his room for the past week, is improving, and expects to be out in a few days.

Mr. D. P. Moss left Friday evening for White Springs, Fla., where he will spend several weeks for recuperation.

Miss Eugenie S. Taylor, of 1127 West Avenue, has returned from a visit of several weeks in retersburg.

Mr. Joseph I. Worsham is quite sick with pneumonia at his residence, No. 18 East, Ninth Street, Dr. Ricker is altending him.

Temple Chapter, No. 32, R. A. M., will bave an interesting meeting in Masonic Tropple Monday evening, March 19th, at 1,20 o'clock.

STILL ACTIVE

Generals Said to Be Conniving With Clique.

WITTE CABLES TO KRAUS

Says Government Will Protect Jews From Easter Massacres As Far As Possible,

As Far As Possible,

(By Associated Press.)

ST. PETERSBURG, March 17.—There is already evidence that only a check and not a defeat has been administered to the reactionists, who are conducting the anti-Semitic agitation. Premior Witte, after he had forced a decision of the cabinet to suppress the agitation, knowing the audacity of his opponents, took the precaution privately to ask the Jewish leaders to notify him instantly whenever the Jewish inhabitants of any locality were threatened, in order to place him in a position to insist that measures be taken to protect them. The Jewish leaders, however, now charge that the reactionary clique, with the connivance of sympathetic local governor-generals, are boldly arranging to block such warnings. In spite of the official denial of the shooting of undesirable refugees sent back to Russia from England, private information has been obtained tending partially to support that charge.

(By Associated Press.)

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(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, ILL., March 17.—Adolf Kraus, of this city, president of the Executive Committee of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, has received a calblegram from Count Witte, premier of Russia, in which the count declares that it is the intention of the Russian government to protect as far as possible all the Jews in the country from the massacres which it has been reported were to take place at Easter.

The cablegram of Count Witte came in reply to a letter written to him by Mr. Kraus regarding the reports that a massacre of the Jews was to take place at Easter time.

TOBACCO-GROWERS.

Executive Committee of Two States to Ratify Agreement.

AMELIA C. H., VA., March 17.—Felix G. Ewing, general manager, and several members of the Executive Committee of the Dark Tobacco Planters' Protective Association, of Kentucky and Tennessee, will arrive in Virginia about Monday night or Tuesday. They will meet the Executive Committee of the Dark Tobacco Growers' Association of Virginia, and committee the arrangements and sign up complete the arrangements and sign

into proper working shape.

Some officers will be elected for the general association and some local offices will be filled also. The work of the association is progressing freely both in the West and in Mirghina. Accessions to the ranks go on every week and to-bacco is being handled nicely of all to-bacco is being handled nicely of all to-

Orchard Changes Hands.

Official Charles January,
SALEM, VA., March 17.—F. J., Ham has
purchased from H. A. Eoffert a valuable
farm at Orchard Bridge, near Groseclose.
The price pald was \$7,500. Mr. Ham sold
his farm near Atkins to C. P. Atkins for
43,500. "Mr. Ham sold his stock of goods
at Atkins to L. Phipps.

OBITUARY.

W. Armistead Rice.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FARMVILLE, VA., March 17.-Mr. the residence

Solomon Carr.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WINDSOR, VA., March 17.—Mr. Solomon Carr, of near this place, died last night of pneumonia. He is survived by his widow and a large family.

The funeral will be held at Antioch Church Sunday afternoon.

P. C. Thompson.

BRISTOL, TENN., March 17.—P. C. Thompson, for many years prominent in the mineral and timber business in Southwest Virginia, aged at his home here this mornia, aged seventy-two. He was a native of Lee county, Virginia, but had resided in Bristol since 1888, Prior to his last lilness he was at the head of a company that was organized to develop the oil and gas properties of Wise and Lee countes, Virginia, Mr. Thompson's aged wife died two months ago.

Colonel J, B, Killebrew. Colonel J. B. Killebrew.

(By Associated Press.)

NASHVILLE, TENN., March 17.—Colonel Jos. B. Killebrew, aged seventy-five years, dled here to-day. Calonel Killebrew sacretary of Agriculture of Tennessee for a number of years and was widely known as a writer on agricultural, and industrial subjects.

W. D. Mitchell

W. P. Mitchell.

(By Associated Press.)

KNOXVILLE, TENN., March 17.—W.
P. Mitchell, a prominent and wealthy
citizen of Knoxville, was found dead
in bed to-day. Heart failure is supposed
to have been the cause of death. DEATHS.

CHANDLER.—Died, at her residence, 704 North Twenty-sixth street, Saturday, March 17th, at 4 A. M., Mrs. HENRIFITA B. CHANDLER.
Funeral from above residence THIS (Sunday, March 18th) at 4 P. M. Interment in Oakwood. No flowers. Funeral at grave.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived at office of Treasurer, Southern Branch, M. H. D. V. S., National Solidiers Home, Elizabeth City county, Va., until 12 o'clock M. April 16, 1996, and thon opened, for furnishing material and larlor for faving the line from pump room in building No. 17 to McManon and Black Avenues, laying drain pipe from fire pump to open cistern and enlarging suction pipe to fire pump, in accordance with instructions and specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information, may be had upon application to B. A. BEESSON, Treasurer.



This model has a trifle more outside swing than usual, which, in conjunction with the extension edge, gives it a snappy, up-to-date appearance. Can be worn on any occasion demanding patent leather.

trous Patent Kid and Dull English Calf Skin. Two large eyelets, silk ribbon lace, and plain toe without

Dabney & Johnston

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST AND FOUND.

STRAYED FROM 408 EAST LEIGH, one brindle Bull Terrier, with white spot; collar breast strap attached. Please return same and receive reward

LOST—PAIR GOLD BRIDGE EYE-glasses Sunday, March 11th; name Whetan, a Paulinier Place, Jersey City, in case. Seward, return to 559 North Fifth Street.

HELP WANTED-Male.

WANTED, EXPERIENCED JOB PRINT ing press feeders; boys or girls; stendy work, good pay ANDERSON LABEL PRINTING CO., 1337 E. Franklip St. WANTED, A COLLECTOR IN EVERY city and village in the United States Address Box 109, Richmond, Va.

HELP WANTED Male & Female

WANTED, A FIRST-CLASS COOK AND distingation boy or girl, to sleep on the lot; good home and wages, Apply to 103 E. Grace.

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WANTED, A CORPS OF RED-ELOUDed salesmen, This advertisement offers
no prepaid excursion to independence
and wealth. We have a route to real
substantial success; to a live, broadening, lucrative career, but there are no
dead-head ticket rates. The men who
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price, we offer an opportunity rarely
equaled in the business world, we offer
a change to represent a product with a
ready sale, one which appeals to the
intelligent and refined taste of the better
classes, a position which offers a good
income for the work done and a permanent position to the party who can
make kood. Novices and hexperiences
may will be considered as confidential. P. O.
Box 75, Athens, Gu.

WANTED, AN EXPERIENCED FURNI-

WANTED, AN EXPERIENCED FURNI-ture man to take from \$2.00 to \$5.00 worth of stock in a well-established furniture and carpet business in one of the most prosperous cities in the State; 22 per cent dividend, 1936. For full par-ticulars address "BUSINESS," care this office.

REAL ESTATE-For Rent.

FOR RENT AT A REDUCTION TO IM-mediate tenant, eight-room brick house porcelain bath. Apply No. 107 West Main Street.

BOARDING.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

WANTED, OCCUPANTS FOR TWO handsomely furnished rooms; single or on sulle; references, 24 South Third Street.

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M. L. STARLES, A STRICTLY RELI-able sewing machine repairer, locksmith and bell hanger; faithful work and sat-staction given. 216 N. Ninth Street (in basement);

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Steady employment: good wages, Apply to ALLEN & GINTER BRANCH, Seventh and Cary.

CHURCH NOTICES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SUIENTIST (corner of Belvidere and Main Streets), Sunday incrining at 11 o'clock, subject, Reality, An experience and testinosy of the Christian Christia

AMUSEMENTS.

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Moving Pictures and Stere-opticon Views. The Arctic Explorer,

ANTHONY FIALA.

Thurs., Mar. 22, 8:30 P. M., Association 4:00 P. M. Seats on sale at Association Building, Puesday, 1 P. M. and after.

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All branches of music taught thooughly. Board for out-of-town pupils ceured in building. Open year around, Catalogue upon request.

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March 28th, 8:30 P. M. Admission, including reserved sent, 75c and \$1.00.
Tickets at Woman's Club and Y. M. C

MEETINGS.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.
New York, February 2, 1966.

NOTICE 13 HEREBY GIVEN THAT A
general meeting of the stockholders of
Southern Railway Company has beer
called by the Board of Directors, and
will be held at the principal office of
the company in the city of Richmond,
Virginia, on Wednesday, the 18th day of
April, 1966, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering an
issue and sale of Development and General Mortgage Bonds by Southern Railway Company, and the creation of a
mortgage upon the property of the company to secure the same, all as proposed
in the communication of Samuel Spencer, president, to the Voting Trustees,
dated February 1, 1996 and of acting
on such other business as may be lawfully brought before the meeting. The
transfer books of both preferred and
common stock of this company will be
closed on April 7, 1906, and opened again
on April 19, 1968. By order of the Board
of Directors. R. D. LANKFORD, Sec-

Sloss Iron and Steel Company.

Birmingham, Ala., March 2, 1905.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS OF
Sloss Iron and Steel Company.—In accordance with the by-laws, notice is
hereby given that the annual meeting
of the stockholders of the Sloss Iron
and Steel Company will be held at
the office of the company, in Birmingham, Alabama, on Wednesday, Auri
4, 1966, at 12 o'clock noon, to elect
directors for the ensuing year, and for
the transaction of such other business
as may come before the meeting.
Books for the transfer of stock will
be closed from March 24, 1966, at 12
o'clock noon, to April 7, 1966, at 12
o'clock A. M.

E. L. MORRIS, Scoretary.

HEADQUARTERS COMMANDERY OF St. Andrew. No. 13. Knights Templar, Richmond. Va., March 17, 1996.

Special Orders-Sir Knights: Attend a special concluve of the commandery of two marched and special concluve of the commandery of two marched Monday, 19th instant: at 7:30 o'clock P. M. in full dress of a templar on foot. Members of Richmond Commandery No. 2 and all transient sir kuights are conrecously invited to lie present.

By order of the eminent commander, Sol. CUTCHINS, Cantain-General, Attest: George C. Jefferson, Recorder.

THE MEMBERS OF HICKORY
Camp. No. 6. W. O. W., will meet at
Corcoran Intil Monday night, Marchi
19th, at 8 o'clock, to celebrate lis
eleventh anniversary. Members will
please be prompt;
B. F. WALLER, Clerk.

THE REGULAR, ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Tredegar Company will be held at their office in the city of Richmond on March 21, 1996, at 12 M. J. R. J. ANDERSON, Beardary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, Richmond, Va., March 13, 1906.
DIVIDEND NO. 12-THE BOARD OF Directors have this day declared a dividend of two 2 per cent, per cent, the same being quarterly dividend No. 42 on the outstanding preferred stock of this company, payable April 15, 1906. When dividend checks will be malled to all preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on March 31, 1906. The books for the transfer of preferred stock will be closed at 3 P. M. Saturday, April 16, 1906.

B. W. TRAVERS, Treasurer.

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